



AVAILANCE—Timothy Spencer, 9, died in this house in Mace, Idaho, as an avalanche of snow and mud roared down on five homes in the canyon town. At least 15 other persons survived the nighttime disaster. (NEA Telephoto)

GOP Leaders Tell President Congress Will Vote Flexible Farm Supports

Farm Bill Main Topic at White House Meeting

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican legislative leaders told President Eisenhower today they are confident Congress will pass a farm bill that continues the administration-backed flexible price support system.

The farm bill outlook was the main topic at Mr. Eisenhower's weekly White House conference with GOP leaders of the House and Senate.

Senate GOP Leader William F. Knowland said he told the President he expects the Senate to com-

plete action on the farm bill this week. He predicted that administration forces will succeed in knocking out a provision, strongly backed by the Senate farm bloc, to restore rigid high price supports.

Sen. George D. Aiken (R-Vt.) ranking Republican member of the Senate Agriculture Committee, had forecast to reporters earlier that Mr. Eisenhower would veto the farm bill if it provided for a return to rigid high price supports.

Will Vote Thursday

Leaders of both parties were satisfied that the Senate would vote overwhelmingly in favor of the other main section of the farm bill, which authorizes the administration's \$1,100,000,000 "soil bank" program of taking surplus crop lands out of cultivation.

Knowland said Senate action can be completed by the end of the week, but "it will probably require night sessions Thursday and Friday."

Voting on the bill begins Thursday.

House Republican Leader Joseph W. Martin Jr. of Massachusetts said he expects the House to adopt the flexible support plan favored by the administration.

Knowland said there was no expectation that the President would make a last minute personal plea to the Senate for the flexible support plan.

Expect Close Vote

He predicted that the administration's plan will pass on a "close vote," but declined to estimate what the victory margin may be.

Knowland said the talks centered on the farm bill and did not take up other pending matters such as foreign trade, foreign aid, the school construction bill or the revised constitutional amendment to alter the President's treaty-making powers as proposed by Sen. John Bricker (R-Ohio).

Sen. Edward J. Thye (R-Minn.) disclosed Monday that the White House as well as Minnesota Republican leaders have exerted pressure on him to switch his support from the Democratic rigid support plan.

Aiken said enactment of the voluntary soil bank and continuation of the administration's flexible price support program would cause farm prices to "stiffen immediately."

But Aiken said because of insistence of the rigid supports provision in the farm bill he advised the Agriculture Department "to plan on doing the best job possible" with the present farm law.

Doyle Webbs and Baby Son Seriously Burned in Fire

Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson of Carrier Mills returned home Sunday night from Elwood, Ill., a suburb of Joliet, where they were called to be with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Webb, and baby, Kenneth Dale, who were seriously burned early Tuesday morning when their home was destroyed by fire.

The Webbs, who were asleep, were awakened when the roof of their oldest son, Chuckie's, room caved in. He had spent the night at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richey, formerly of Harrisburg now living in Kankakee.

Mrs. Webb who is expecting a third child in July received third degree back burns and is in a serious condition. She has been removed from the critical list. Her feet are also frostbitten from walking barefoot in the deep snow and ice to a neighbor's home to get help for her husband who was overcome by smoke. Mr. Webb is still hospitalized but is much improved. The baby has been released from the hospital.

The house and all its contents were destroyed. Mr. and Mrs. Gibson plan to return to Elwood this week end.

Powell to Speak at Democratic Meeting Thursday

Rep. Paul Powell, Vienna, will be the principal speaker at a Saline county Democratic meeting at the court house in Harrisburg Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Powell, Democratic representative from the old 51st Senatorial district, is candidate for re-election in the enlarged 59th Representative district, which includes Williamson, Gallatin and Hardin counties in addition to the counties of Hamilton, Saline, Johnson, Pope and Massac of the old district.

County candidates will be present at the Thursday meeting. There will be special entertainment and an invitation is extended to the public to attend.

One Sentenced, Two Fined Here

Gene Sisk, Harrisburg, yesterday was sentenced to six months in the Saline county jail when he pleaded guilty before County Judge Trafton Dennis to a charge of issuing a fraudulent check.

Also, Sisk was ordered to make restitution for two bad checks he had written.

Fined \$50 and costs on a charge of reckless driving was Glen Holt, 23, Eldorado, who pleaded guilty to the charge before Dennis. Holt was said to be the driver of an auto containing six youths that left Route 45 at the Venice curve near Muddy and plowed into a field.

Fined a total of \$41.40 when arraigned before Justice of the Peace Vern Joyner was Hick Stewart, who lives south of Carrier Mills. Stewart pleaded guilty to a charge of disturbing the peace. He was arrested at a farm home near Carrier Mills by Deputy Jeff Stricklin.

Demented Man Seized After Holding Two Policemen, Priest During Wild Ride

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A demented man, who wanted police to kill him because he "didn't have the nerve to commit suicide," held a priest and two policemen as hostages during a five hour ride of terror before he was overpowered today.

No one was injured, however, during the wild ride or in a brief scuffle in which the demented man was captured on the lawn of his home.

Joseph Madera, 28, father of two children, telephoned the Philadelphia Daily News Monday night that he had a fight with his wife over his unemployment and that he wanted to die.

He told reporter George Thompson that he didn't "have the guts" to kill himself but that he had "figured a way out."

"I have three guns," he said. "I'm going to Reayburn Plaza and start shooting. If I hit a couple of people, the cops will shoot me."

The Wild Ride
"Come on down to the plaza and you can have the whole story."

Eisenhower Proposes Ban on Nuclear Weapons Production

Joint Chiefs Take New Look At Armed Forces

Wilson Faces Questioning on Puerto Rico Meeting

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's military chiefs are working on new defense strategy in the seclusion of a comfortable Puerto Rican air base, far from the din and controversies of Washington.

Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson faced questioning about the high command's secret mission late today at his first news conference since Feb. 1.

The Pentagon, which concealed the exodus of the Joint Chiefs of Staff for two days, said Monday night they are at Ramey Air Force base "to devote their full time this week, without interruption, to JCS business."

A major item of business is the chiefs' order for Wilson to take a detailed "new look" at the size and makeup of the armed forces that will be needed in the coming three years.

In the background are changing Russian economic and military policies, and increasing threats from Soviet technological progress in such fields as guided missiles and long-range air power.

Congressional and Pentagon concern over the threats had led to a Senate investigation headed by Sen. Stuart Symington (D-Mo.). His armed services subcommittee Monday named Fowler Hamilton, New York trial lawyer and World War II Air Force official to be counsel for the inquiry which is planned to start by April 1. Symington said a major goal will be to determine whether under present policies "the United States and its allies could survive a sudden all-out atomic attack and be able in turn to rise up and destroy the attackers."

The question undoubtedly has high priority on the agenda of Adm. Arthur W. Radford, chairman, and other members of the joint chiefs in their Puerto Rico discussions. Symington's subcommittee, as well as Wilson, will be looking to them for some expert answers.

Wilson disclosed on Jan. 12 that he had requested the military chiefs "to make a complete and careful evaluation of the size, nature and composition of the forces likely to be required for the nation's security during the next three years."

Inquest Tonight

An inquest into the death of William Boone, fatally injured Sunday in an auto collision near Galatia, will be held at 6:30 tonight at the court house, Coroner Elmer M. Gibbons announced today.

Demented Man Seized After Holding Two Policemen, Priest During Wild Ride

back and the other pointed at Brady and the priest.

Police had telephoned Madera's mother-in-law who refused to go to the door when Madera appeared.

Madera then forced the two policemen back into the car and drove off, leaving Father Lynch on the sidewalk. The priest then got into one of the squad cars following the fleeing auto.

Father Lynch kept talking to Madera over the police radio system as the wild ride proceeded into New Jersey.

Madera's wife, Helen, in a patrol car outside her home, joined Father Lynch in his pleas to the demented man.

Madera finally listened to the tearful entreaties of his wife to "Please come on home, Joe, please come home."

After several minutes of hesitation, Madera said "I'll be home in a few minutes."

Father Lynch and Mrs. Madera waited alone in front of the Madera home. When Madera arrived, they tried to talk Madera into giving himself up. Finally, Madera agreed to go inside his home to "talk it over."



DRASTIC — Hullen Watkins, 31-year-old confessed forger, displays his mutilated check-writing finger, which he chopped off in kitchen of county jail at San Jose, Calif., to convince Superior Judge William J. James that he would "go straight." Judge James has continued "the strangest case I've ever heard of" pending a decision. (NEA Telephoto)

Sectional Tourney Tickets on Sale At HTHS Tomorrow

HTHS Principal Eltis F. Henson, revealed that 800 seats to the Shawneetown - Carmi sectional game at Davenport gym tomorrow at 8 p. m. will go on sale at the high school at 8:30 a. m. tomorrow.

He said that although it was possible there would be a sellout for the game, he believed that there will be room for everybody who desires to see the game.

Mr. Henson, tourney manager, said that so far 1,049 seats have been allotted to each of the competing towns and 134 reserved chairs have been sold locally. With 800 seats going on sale tomorrow, that will still leave approximately 400 available for sale at the gym at 6:30 p. m. tomorrow. If the competing schools do not sell their allotments, there will be more.

Mr. Henson said that arrangements have been made to place seats on the stage and on the floor at the south end of the gym, if they are necessary.

Congressman Faces Charges Of Tax Evasion

BOSTON (AP) — Rep. Thomas J. Lane (D-Mass.), who once criticized the U. S. Internal Revenue Service's investigation of tax delinquents, today faced charges of tax evasion.

Lane was indicted by a federal grand jury Monday on charges of evading \$38,543 in income taxes from 1949 through 1951. No date was set for arraignment.

According to the indictment returned by Federal Judge Charles E. Wyanski Jr., the evasions were committed by filing "false and fraudulent" joint tax returns.

The congressman's wife was not named in the indictment.

The government alleged that Lane paid taxes totaling \$16,896 during the three-year period although he owed \$55,440. The indictment charged that Lane filed returns showing income for the three years as \$66,259 when he "well knew" the total was \$151,166.

Rep. Gray Asks For Increased Social Security Benefits

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Congressman Kenneth J. Gray (D-Ill.) appeared before the Senate Finance committee Monday in behalf of H. R. 7225, a companion measure to his bill, H. R. 2397, concerning Social Security benefits. Gray specifically asked that four important provisions be included in any bill passed by the Congress. The provisions are: (1) lowering the age limit for benefits from age sixty-five to sixty for both men and women; (2) allow benefits for totally and permanently disabled persons at the age of fifty; (3) incorporate a "food stamp plan," and (4) raise minimum benefits from \$30.00 to \$55.00 per month and increased old age assistance.

Justice Official Says Lawyers are 'Dupes' of Shift in Communist Policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lawyers are the latest "dupes" of a major policy shift by the American Communist Party, Asst. Atty. Gen. William F. Tompkins said today.

The head of the Justice Department's internal security division said volunteer efforts of Communist leaders by local bar associations is helping the party in one of its "new look" drives—the attempt to undermine the Smith Act.

Other new drives by the party include renewed efforts to infiltrate "intellectual" groups, organization of smaller but more numerous "front" groups and a campaign to gain acceptance as a legitimate American political party.

"The basic aim of the party remains the same," Tompkins said. "That is the overthrow of the United States government by any means available."

A number of bar associations

have been "dupes" in the Communist drive to discredit the Smith Act through offering their legal services to defend so-called "second-string" Communists, Tompkins said.

He cited the Cleveland Bar Assn., which took up a collection to defend 10 Smith Act defendants. Four of the defendants recently were acquitted, while the others were convicted.

"I would like to see them take up a collection to defend a narcotics addict," Tompkins said. The Smith Act prohibits advocating the overthrow of the government by force and violence. It has been the government's chief legal weapon against Communist leaders.

"The Communists are seeking respectable people to challenge the Smith Act, and if possible to discredit it and have it removed from the books," Tompkins warned.

Base Program on Moral, Spiritual Values, Eisenhower Tells GOP

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower, in his first political appearance since his second term announcement, said today the Republican Party should base its program on "moral and spiritual values."

"If a political party does not have its foundation in the determination to advance the cause that is right, that is moral," he said, "then it is not a party but merely a conspiracy which is to seize power."

Mr. Eisenhower made the statements in a surprise appearance before 1,500 wildly cheering delegates of the Republican Women's National Conference here.

He went to the meeting directly from the White House where Republican congressional leaders had told him his decision to run for re-election "will improve" the party's chance of regaining control of Congress.

Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland said the President was in "great spirits" at the legislative conference and "showed a good sense of humor in our discussions."

At the meeting of Republican women, Mr. Eisenhower stood under huge pictures of himself and Vice President Richard M. Nixon. A large banner proclaimed: "Peace — Prosperity — Progress."

The President said he was counting heavily on the women of America, with their responsibility for rearing the young, to support high moral and spiritual values in political life.

He also said he was counting on the Republican women in each of their districts to inform the public on the GOP program, "how far it has gone, what is left to do and what it means to the country and the world."

Such a process, he said, is vital to the selection of "the leaders under which we are going to

work." He wished the Republican women success and good luck "in the months ahead."

Mr. Eisenhower's appearance brought screams, squeals and generally vociferous applause from the happy delegates. He was accompanied by GOP National Chairman Leonard W. Hall and Bernard Shanley, White House appointments secretary.

Thermometer to Chart Red Cross Drive for Funds

Progress of the Saline County Red Cross fund drive will be charted on the thermometer erected on the court house square. This 10 foot thermometer was built by the industrial arts class of the Harrisburg Township high school under the direction of J. G. Parkhurst.

In the first progress report covering the first five days of the 1956 Red Cross campaign, John Murphy, campaign chairman, announced that \$1,000 of the \$12,005 quota has been raised throughout Saline county.

Contribution to the March campaign gives residents of Saline county an opportunity to stimulate their ideas of faith, hope and decency. It also serves as a two fold insurance policy. Each member of the community in insured of food, shelter, clothing and medical and nursing care if disaster should strike Saline county. Our dollars also make possible the Red Cross blood program through which any resident is insured to receive blood free of charge when needed.

Advance gifts and pledges received in Harrisburg to date are: A&P grocery \$25, Hart's Department store \$10.

First National bank \$25, F. W. Woolworth \$25, Harrisburg Dairy \$25, L. L. Parker Furniture store \$25, Smith Packing Co. \$10.

Pledges: Harrisburg city school teachers \$100, Delta Theta Tau \$65, KMMB Post No. 400, Stonefort American Legion \$50, Saline County State Bank of Stonefort \$50.

Legion Official Criticizes Hoover Commission Proposal

CHICAGO (AP) — Lester R. Benton, rehabilitation director of the Illinois American Legion, has criticized a Hoover Commission recommendation that veterans hospitals discontinue treating veterans for non-service connected ailments.

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SPRING MUST BE NEAR NOW—Temperatures in the high 50's visited Chicago over the weekend and brought out the first of the Sunday picnickers. Taking advantage of the spring-like weather along the lakefront are Mr. and Mrs. William Post, their year-old daughter, Linda, and their pet fisher. (NEA Telephoto)

Tells Bulganin U. S. Ready to Plan Safeguards

Says Ultimate Hope Production Will Be For Peace

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower today proposed to Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin a ban on future production of nuclear weapons.

The President said in a new letter to Bulganin that the United States is prepared, under certain conditions, to work out safeguards "so that future production of fissionable materials anywhere in the world would no longer be used to increase the stockpiles of explosive weapons."

Mr. Eisenhower said that this step, combined with his atoms-for-peace program, "would reverse the present trend toward a constant increase in nuclear weapons overhauling the world."

"My ultimate hope is that all production of fissionable materials anywhere in the world will be devoted exclusively to peaceful purposes," Mr. Eisenhower said.

This was the main feature of Mr. Eisenhower's letter inviting Bulganin to consider new East-West disarmament steps stressing control of the "nuclear threat" to the world.

Mr. Eisenhower also: Again rejected Bulganin's previous offer of a 20-year American-Soviet friendship treaty. Mr. Eisenhower did not refer to the proposal directly. But he said his previous view remains "general," as expressed in January. He said, however, that he will continue to study the problem to see if any "useful new steps" can be taken.

Insisted that adoption of his "open skies" aerial inspection proposal, combined with ground inspection teams, would "lead to a reduction of armaments, the lessening of tensions, and the brightening of the prospects of a durable peace." Bulganin on Sept. 19 had proposed use of ground inspection teams at key points. The President said Oct. 11 that he would be prepared to accept this.

Proposed that arms limitations be sought primarily, though not exclusively, in terms of controls on "armaments rather than on men."

The President said initial action toward agreements could be taken at the forthcoming five-power disarmament meeting in London. But he said these steps toward disarmament would take a long time to work out with other nations as well.

In the meantime, the President said, the United States and Russia would have very extensive military strength, including stocks of nuclear weapons.

"I wish to make it clear that, so far as the United States is concerned, we would continue to hold such strength, not for aggression, nor for narrow national purposes, but as a contribution toward world stability in this transitional period," the President said.

Twin Sisters, 70, Killed by Auto

FREEMONT, Ill. (AP)—Hattie and Josie Nix, 70-year-old twin sisters, were killed Monday night when a car struck them at an intersection.

Hattie Nix was killed instantly and her sister died a short time later. Witnesses said the car hit the sisters at a crossing near the business district and carried them about 50 feet before stopping. Kenneth Corning, 23, Forreston, was held on charges of reckless homicide.

The Weather

ILLINOIS: Mostly cloudy north, partly cloudy south with scattered showers and thunderstorms tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy with rain north and showers and thunderstorms south. Rain may be mixed with snow extreme northwest Wednesday. Colder weather slowly spreading southward over north and central tonight and into extreme south by Wednesday afternoon or evening. Low tonight 60s; extreme south, High Wednesday 60s or 70s; extreme south.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES			
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
3 p. m. 75	3 a. m. 60		
6 p. m. 70	6 a. m. 65		
9 p. m. 67	9 a. m. 67		
12 mid. 65	12 mid. 65		

Sister of Dead Twin Sent Home To Await Death

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (AP) — Two-year-old Kathleen Jo Van Lopik, whose identical twin sister died of leukemia nine days ago, today went home to await death from the same disease.

Kathleen and her sister, Eileen, were hospitalized two weeks ago when it was learned both girls suffered from the incurable blood disease. Doctors said it was a "once-in-a-million" medical rarity that both were stricken.

It was Eileen's fourth—and last—trip to the hospital. Critically ill, she was placed in an oxygen tent in which she died Feb. 26.

A plot for Kathleen was marked beside her sister's grave.

The twins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Lopik, both 25, say Kathleen has not yet missed her sister. When shown a photograph of herself and a nurse Monday, they said she cried, "that's Eileen."

The Van Lopiks—a deeply religious couple—believe Kathleen will ask where her sister is when she has been home for awhile.

"Kathleen has been too busy investigating everything at the hospital to give any thought to Eileen yet," Mrs. Van Lopik said. "But she's bound to miss her sister when she sees her empty crib in their bedroom."

"When she asks about Eileen, we'll just tell her she is in heaven with Jesus," she said.

Van Lopik, production manager at a local furniture plant, said he will spend as much time at home as possible during the next few months.

"We will do everything we can to make Kathie happy to the very end," he said.

Mothers May Bring Pre-School Children To School Clinics

Mothers wanting typhoid or small pox vaccine for their pre-school children are invited to bring them to the following clinics:

Wednesday, March 14, 1 p. m. at Logan school or Friday, March 16, 1 p. m. at Bayliss school for first of series, boosters or small pox vaccinations.

Friday, March 23, 1 p. m. at McKinley school for second of series, boosters or small pox vaccinations.

Tuesday, April 3, 1 p. m. at McKinley school or Tuesday, April 10, 1 p. m. at Horace Mann school for third of a series, boosters or small pox vaccinations.

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Sahara 5, 6, 16 and second wash-work.
Peabody 43 idle.
Blue Bird 6 and 8 work.
Carmac works.
Will Scarlett works.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Honor the Lord with thy sub-
stance. So shall thy barns be filled
with plenty.—Prov. 3:9.
There are some careful observ-
ers that say it is sound business to
give a certain proportion of our in-
come to good causes. It compels
us to budget and plan, to economize
and exercise thrift.

Atomic Showdown

Editorial — BY BRUCE BLOSSAT

While declining to participate in
President Eisenhower's admirable
plan for world-wide peaceful de-
velopment of atomic energy, the
Soviet Union has continued to
boast mightily that it leads all
other nations in such peaceful
uses.

The United States thinks this
is an empty boast. It has now
called the Soviet bluff by making
available for sale or lease \$1 bil-
lion for nuclear fuel for the build-
ing of atomic reactors in the U.
S. and the free world.

The President's program would
distribute 44,000 pounds of Uran-
ium 235 for civilian purposes in
America, and a similar amount
abroad to countries which do not
produce it on their own.

What this means is that this na-
tion is going ahead to carry out
the President's atomic-for-peace
plan without Russia. Even the
most skeptical neutralists were
deeply impressed by the plan
when Mr. Eisenhower announced
it in December, 1953. His latest
move should show them he was
not talking idly.

The Soviet Union cannot any
longer rest its claims of peaceful
atom development on mere pro-
paganda. To match this country
it will have to deliver the goods
beyond its own borders, where
the uranium can be felt and meas-
ured.

It should be appreciated that
while the timing of the President's
announcement bore some relation
to recent Soviet boasts, the pro-
gram as outlined has been in the
making for some time.

We have understood for long
months that Russia has no inten-
tion of joining a global atomic
peace plan, although more than 30
nations already have signified
their approval of it. Hence we
have been preparing to push
ahead on our own.

February 22, 1956, may prove
a more important milestone than
December 8, 1953, for the latter
was promise but the former spelled
action.

What the President has now
done represents the finest instincts
of America at work. It reflects
truly the traditions we live by.
Truth is always the best propa-
ganda, and Mr. Eisenhower has
given the world a fresh glimpse of
the truth about America.

Peering the Fog Clouds

Enough dust has been raised
over the adequacy of the nation's
military air policy to warrant giv-
ing the matter a thorough look.
Hence we can only welcome the
developing move for a congres-
sional inquiry into it.

No doubt a good many criti-
cisms of present day policy are
politically inspired, but some
come from sober, responsible men
who study these issues closely.
Where the country's safety is con-
cerned, we must try to move
doubts. If this means asking
searching questions, we must ask
them.

The key matters involved are
our long-range guided missile pro-
gram and our bomber develop-
ment. Any marked deficiency on
either score could be crucial.

At the worst our very survival
is at stake. But any really meas-
urable Russian superiority over
its damaging effect, for it
could make heavy impact on the
peace-sitters in Asia and else-
where. Even as it is they are
more than ordinarily susceptible
to Russian argument. One fears
some may be ready to topple into
the Soviet camp at the first prov-
able evidence that the Kremlin
leads the arms race.

Whatever investigation may
shape up, the American citizen
may be permitted to hope it will
be conducted in full cognizance
that the issues are grave. This
being 1956, politics will surely
show its head. Yet sober states-
manship must prevail in any
probe of this vital field.

The Bureau of the Mint origi-
nally functioned under the secre-
tary of state, being established as
a separate agency in 1790.



Richard Conte and Victor McLaglen set up a machinegun in
a scene from "Bengali," released by RKO, in Technicolor and
SuperScope, to show at the Grand tonight.

The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND By DREW PEARSON

DREW PEARSON Says: Mu-
nitions Peddler To Egyptians
Is Indicted; Big Gas-Oil Con-
tributions To Ike's Campaign
Helped Influence Gas Veto;
Texas Oil Men Had Urged Ike
To Run.

WASHINGTON. — Hits and er-
rors — Jacob Michael, Zionist
owner of the SS James Monroe,
carrying 18 tanks to Saudi Arabia,
has now admitted publicly that
his family does own the vessel.
Earlier he had steadfastly denied
this to me. Congratulations. He
is now trying to do something
about transferring the ship to an-
other port . . . William H. Evans
Jr., of Hyattsville, Md., who, ac-
cording to this column of Sept. 20-
21, was trying to sell 1,800 British
Sten guns and 140 German ma-
chine guns to the Egyptian em-
bassy, has now been indicted on
the charge of possession of munitions.
The inside story of how Hen-
ry Ford required his Ford deal-
ers to contribute to the Eisen-
hower campaign was first reported in
this column three years ago—Oct.
21 and Oct. 27, 1952. Though im-
portant details were given of political
contributions in Nebraska and
Iowa, some newspapers in this
area, especially the Des Moines
Register Tribune, refused to pub-
lish the column. Last month, the
story of Ford political collections
was told under oath before Sen-
ator Monroney's committee investi-
gating auto dealers . . . Chalk
up an error for this column in re-
porting some details of the Eisen-
hower cabinet meeting which re-
commended a veto of the gas bill.
Secretary of Defense Wilson was
not present, as reported. He was
in Miami, but sent word that he
favored a veto. Also Postmaster
General Summerfield did not speak
out for a veto as reported. Sec-
retary of the Treasury Humphrey
and Attorney General Brownell, as
previously reported, were the
chief advocates of a veto . . . an-
other factor which influenced the
veto which I failed to report was
that his own campaign had re-
ceived important contributions
from the gas-oil men. This helped
to put him on record against the
gas lobby in no uncertain terms.
It was wise strategy, because al-
ready it had leaked out that the
Kicks of Superior Oil contributed
to Citizens for Eisenhower. The
full story is involved but highly
interesting.

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South Dakota had revealed the
\$2,500 offered to influence his vote.
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chairman of Continental Oil; Ed-
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United Gas Pipe Line; C. Pratt
Rather, president of Southern Nat-
ural Gas; and John Warren, vice
president of the National City
Bank and a member of the Na-
tional Petroleum Council.

These men were not paid by the
government, but remained on the
payrolls of their oil companies
while drafting their recommenda-
tions for the White House. Need-
less to say, they came up with
proposals benefitting the oil in-
dustry by many millions of dollars.
Their recommendations were not
only stronger than the gas bill
voted by the Senate, but were ac-
cepted hook, line and sinker by
Secretary Humphrey.

For example, Ike's veto mes-
sage called for a rewrite of the
gas bill, offering more protection
for the consumers. Yet the final
proposals submitted to the Presi-
dent by his cabinet committee of-
fered less protection for the con-
sumers than the Senate bill. The
truth is that the cabinet commit-
tee made no attempt to get the
consumer side of the story at all,
despite repeated urging from Sen.
Paul Douglas (D., Ill.). It ac-
cepted the oil industry's proposals
without qualification.

In the end, the cabinet commit-
tee recommended gas legislation
much stronger than the Senate
bill finally passed.

HUMPHREY IN REVERSE
No one knew better than Hum-
phrey that oilmen had sat right
inside the White House as govern-
ment consultants and laid out the
kind of gas legislation the indus-
try wanted. It is interesting
therefore, that Humphrey—the man
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Television Programs

WSHL-TV—HARRISBURG
Channel 22

TUESDAY EVENING

5:00—Movie Quick Quiz
5:55—Weather Vane
6:00—Cactus Pete
6:30—Lucky Leroy
6:45—Front Page
7:00—Disneyland
8:00—Danny Thomas
8:30—The Theatre Hour
9:45—Final Edition
10:00—Family Playhouse

WEDNESDAY

Morning and Afternoon

8:00—Today, NBC
9:00—Ding Dong School
9:30—Ernie Kovacs
10:00—Home, NBC
11:30—Sign Off
2:00—NBC Matinee Theatre
3:00—Film
3:30—Queen for a Day, NBC
4:00—Pinky Lee, NBC
4:30—Howdy Doody, NBC

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5:00—Movie Quick Quiz
5:55—Weather Vane
6:00—Cactus Pete
6:30—Lucky Leroy
6:45—Front Page
7:00—Roy Rogers
8:00—Headline News
9:30—Masquerade Party
9:00—Break The Bank
9:30—Golden Key Quartet
9:45—Four Star Final
10:00—Family Playhouse

KFVS-TV—CAPE GIRARDEAU
Channel 12

Tuesday Afternoon and Evening

5:00—Hollywood Matinee
6:00—Crusader Rabbit
6:05—The Scoreboard
6:10—Watching the Weather
6:15—Douglas Edwards, CBS
6:30—Name That Tune, CBS
7:00—Superman
7:30—Navy Log, CBS
8:00—Hudson's Secret Journal
8:30—Red Skelton, CBS
9:00—\$64,000.00 Question, CBS
9:30—Do You Trust Your Wife?
10:00—It's A Great Life, NBC
10:30—Channel 12 Theatre
11:00—News
11:05—Channel 12 Theatre
11:35—Weather

Wednesday Morning and Afternoon

7:00—Morning Show, CBS
8:00—Capt. Kangaroo, CBS
9:00—Morning Meditation
9:15—Garry Moore, CBS
9:30—Film
9:45—Godfrey Time, CBS
10:00—Film
10:15—Godfrey Time, CBS
10:30—Strike It Rich, CBS
11:00—Mid-Morning News
11:15—Love of Life, CBS
11:30—Search For Tomorrow, CBS
11:45—Guiding Light, CBS
12:00—Jack Paar Show, CBS
12:30—Love Story
1:00—Robert Q. Lewis, CBS
1:30—Film
1:45—House Party, CBS
2:00—The Big Payoff, CBS
2:30—Film
3:00—Brighter Day, CBS
3:15—Secret Storm, CBS
3:30—On Your Account, CBS
4:00—Tennessee Ernie, NBC
4:30—Looking for Knowledge
4:45—Cowboy Adventures
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6:15—Douglas Edwards, CBS
6:30—Cisco Kid
7:00—Arthur Godfrey, CBS
8:00—The Millionaire, CBS
8:30—I've Got a Secret, CBS
9:00—20th Century-Fox Hour,
CBS

10:00—Mr. District Attorney
10:30—Dollar a Second, ABC
11:00—Break the Bank
11:30—News and Weather

Area Meetings By Farm Bureau

CHICAGO — Expanded product
promotion campaigns by the Farm
Bureau organization in Illinois will
be discussed at a series of area
meetings next week.

Voting delegates to the 1955 an-
nual meeting of the Illinois Agri-
cultural association favored in-
creased promotional activity by
farmers.

A resolution adopted by the
IAA, statewide Farm Bureau or-
ganization said, in part: "Farm-
ers themselves must assume a
share of the responsibility for the
promotion of agricultural prod-
ucts."

"The Illinois Agricultural Asso-
ciation and County Farm Bureaus
can aid . . . in disseminating in-
formation and promoting sales
program at the retail market lev-
el."

Results of a meat promotion
campaign initiated by the IAA late
in 1955 have "exceeded all expec-
tations," according to Otto Stef-
fey, IAA president who called the
series of meetings.

"Per capita consumption of
meat in the last quarter of 1955 ex-
ceeded the last quarter of 1954 by
eight pounds," Steffey reported.

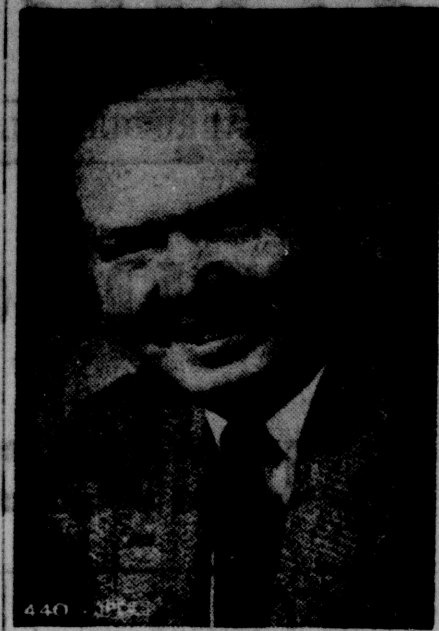
The meeting schedule includes:
Wednesday, March 7, 1 p. m.,
Emmerson hotel, Mt. Vernon;
Wednesday, March 7, 7:30 p. m.,
Farm Bureau Bldg., Murphysboro.

Godfrey is Named Weekend Deputy Sheriff

LEESBURG, Va. — Arthur
Godfrey, TV showman, filer, and
sometime Navy man, has become
a weekend deputy sheriff. It was
revealed today.

Sheriff Roger S. Powell of Lou-
don county said Godfrey was sworn
in Saturday as a regular deputy,
was issued a chrome-plated badge
and will get a nominal salary.

Aubrey E. Giles
Is Candidate
For County Coroner



Aubrey E. Giles

Aubrey E. "Red" Giles in an-
nouncing his candidacy as coroner
of Saline county in the Democratic
primary on April 10, has issued
the following statement for the con-
sideration of the voters:

"I made a complete study of the
duties and responsibilities of cor-
oner before deciding to ask for this
office. I feel definitely that
I have the qualifications and am
capable of carrying out the duties
of coroner.

"If nominated and elected I as-
sure you I will fulfill my obliga-
tions to this office in a capable and
efficient manner. I have not made
any pledges or promises to anyone
but will cooperate with all con-
cerned.

"I do not want to take your valu-
able time, telling you all the or-
ganizations I belong to or what I
have done, because I feel that it is
your duty to check and compare
each candidate. I do want to say
briefly that I am married to the
former Betty Ann Cable of Harris-
burg and have one son. I am an
active member of the First Meth-
odist church. For the past nine
years I have been a salesman for
Hunter Packing Company. I serv-
ed in the South Pacific during
World War II with the U. S. Ma-
rine Corps.

"Please do not fail to exercise
your American right to vote on
April 10 and I will appreciate your
consideration when casting your
vote.

"Thank You."
Aubrey E. "Red" Giles.
—Political Advertisement



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THURSDAY	7:30 A. M.	8:00 P. M.
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SATURDAY	7:30 A. M.	6:00 P. M.

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Billy Graham Lives Christianity 24 Hours a Day, But Has Sense of Humor

By George Burham
Chattanooga News-Free Press Staff Writer

HONOLULU—What kind of a man is Billy Graham? What is he like out of the pulpit? Is he a sticky holier-than-thou preacher? Does he have a sense of humor?

People everywhere know the 37-year-old North Carolinian is the most listened-to evangelist in history. Millions have been impressed with his sincerity and uncanny ability to persuade men live holds something better for them. In following him around the world I have found that he lives his Christianity 24 hours a day. Unguarded moments are the same as guarded ones. He isn't a phony. He believes with all his heart he is doing the most important thing on earth.

Billy knows that some evangelists of the past have brought their names into disrepute with most of the criticism directed at the amount of money made. He is doing everything in his power to make the name "evangelist" mean something again. He never accepts love offerings. He draws a salary of \$15,000 yearly from the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, a non-profit organization supported by free will gifts. Hollywood's blank check for his life story was rejected. He bends over backwards to keep people from saying he capitalizes on the name of Jesus Christ.

Sense of Humor

But his sincerity and humility are not stuck brand. Packed in somewhere along his 6-2 frame is a sense of humor that keeps him well balanced. As a human being he laughs so often he doesn't have time to be long-faced and he has been known to play a few practical jokes. Once, shortly before his close friend and associate evangelist, Grady Wilson, was scheduled to make a speech Billy emptied a can of fluffy shaving cream into his big Texas hat. The stuff weighs practically nothing and Grady didn't notice it, but the audience did. When he walked in and pulled off his hat they howled while Grady rushed backstage to get the goo out of his hair.

More often than not Grady is the one who pulls the pranks on Billy. It is always taken with a laugh. But Grady should have been more careful after the hat incident. He was victim of probably the greatest practical joke ever pulled by Billy. It was on their first trip to Korea to spend Christmas with

the American soldiers fighting there in 1952.

Grady decided they might have some trouble sleeping on the plane while crossing the Pacific and bought some sleeping capsules for both of them. Billy got his hands on the bottle without Grady knowing about it. He had some identical capsules filled with powdered mustard, one of the hottest things on earth. The mustard capsules were placed in Grady's bag and Billy kept the real ones.

Helps Bridge Gap

Several hours after leaving Los Angeles Grady got the capsules and said, "Boy, I'm going to sleep tonight!" He gave one to Billy who palmed it and took the real thing. Grady took his and they retired. Billy slept soundly. The next morning he stretched like a comfortable cat, looked over at Grady and asked, "What kind of night did you have, buddy?" Grady moaned before replying, "The dressing on that salad we had for supper last night almost killed me. I'll bet I got up and went to the water fountain 20 times."

"Didn't the sleeping pill help you any?" asked Billy. "Mine worked fine."

"Not mine," said Grady. "I got up about 3 o'clock and took another one. What a night!"

The next night the same thing was repeated all over again. By the time they reached Korea Billy was scared he had gone too far. Grady was imagining that he had some awful disease and Billy decided it might not be safe to reveal the hoax. Enough fighting was going on in Korea.

On the first night in Seoul they were sitting on the platform before a congregation of Korean ministers and missionaries. Billy was thinking about a way to bridge the gap between the East and West quickly, and it seemed that laughter might be the best way with which to open the meeting. He began his address by telling about Grady's troubles with the sleeping capsules and why. It went over like a clown act at an orphanage. Grady still had too much mustard inside to do much laughing, but he was so relieved to know he didn't have ulcers that he allowed a faint grin to appear.

He has been suspicious of sleeping pills ever since.

Rufus Davidson In GOP Race for Circuit Clerk



Rufus Davidson

Rufus Davidson of Harrisburg is today announcing that he is a candidate for the nomination of Saline County Circuit clerk on the Republican ticket and is asking that the voters consider his candidacy.

Mr. Davidson has been a resident of Saline county for the past 28 years. He graduated from the Harrisburg Township high school in 1935. Although at present employed by the Kroger company he was for several years representative of the Jewel Tea company.

Davidson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davidson of Rosiclare. The senior Mr. Davidson is a former policeman of the city of Harrisburg. Married and the father of three children, Mr. Davidson's wife is the former Jewel Edmonds.

Mr. Davidson is the Sunday School superintendent at McKinley Avenue Baptist church, also an active deacon and church member there since 1941. He is a thirty-second degree Mason and a member of the Harrisburg Lions club.

The Davidsons reside at 300 East Ford street in Harrisburg.

Marriage Licenses

Don Ray Ewell, 22, Harrisburg, and Rita Roe, 18, Junction.



FOR BALL OR BEACH—Milady goes from ballroom to beach at the drop of a skirt with this ensemble being modeled at Miami Beach, Fla. Consisting of a gold-sequined bathing suit and a ruffled lace skirt, it can be worn as an evening gown, left, or a bathing suit, right. Another of its novel features is the price—\$325.

Social and Personal Items

Local Families Enjoy Picnic in Florida

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Lightner, who spend the winters in Sarasota, Fla., entertained 21 Harrisburg friends at a picnic in the garden of their beautiful home, surrounded by orange and grapefruit groves. Most of the vacationers present from this city, returned to Harrisburg last week.

The guest list follows: Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Pankey, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gaskins, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gaskins, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Durham, Mrs. Ida Craggs, Miss Elsie Ray Durham, Mrs. H. A. Murphy, Mrs. Ewing McAdoo, Mrs. George O. Davenport and Mrs. Harry Horning, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hart and their niece, Zenia Younger from Flint, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Odum, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess J. Moore and daughter, Mariouette, returned Saturday from a tour in Florida. They visited a brother of Mrs. Odum and Mrs. Moore in Fort Lauderdale, Arthur Abney and family, and two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Owen; a nephew, Archie Lowell Abney in Miami; a niece, Mrs. John Owen Stanley, Miami, a nephew, J. Abney Cox and family of Coral Gables, and another niece, Mrs. William H. Cole, at Key Biscayne Bay. Also Mr. and Mrs. Harry King of Miami, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. E. Pankey has just returned from a three-week trip to Tucson, Ariz., San Diego and Los Angeles, Calif. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Middleton and children, Ann and Mark, of Webster Groves, Mo. In Tucson they visited her son Frank and family. While in San Diego she was met by her grandson, Lt. (jg) Phillip Pankey and his wife, who had Mrs. Pankey, her daughter and son and his family, aboard his ship, the U. S. S. Brown, for an escorted tour and luncheon. While in Los Angeles they visited world famous Knott's Berry Farm and Disneyland.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Byrd have returned from Chicago where Mrs. Byrd attended the 33rd Midwest Beauty Trade Show sponsored by the Chicago and Illinois Hairdressers association of which she is a member.

Mrs. Jack Horning became quite ill yesterday morning and was rushed to the Lightner hospital.

Calendar Of Meetings

Mrs. Ovid Stine, a missionary in Southern Rhodesia, Africa, will speak at the Dorris Heights Methodist church tonight at 7:30. A potluck dinner will precede the service. The public is invited.

The Holy Name society of St. Mary's church will meet tonight at 7:30.

Circle A of the McKinley Avenue Baptist church meets at the home of Mrs. Herbert Clark, 811 South Granger, Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.

Births

At Harrisburg Hospital
To Mr. and Mrs. Glendie Royce Oglesby, RFD 4, Harrisburg, a boy named Gregory Royce, weighing seven pounds, nine ounces, born March 4.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hancock, 1317 Saline street, a boy named Billy Keith, weighing eight pounds, two ounces, born March 4.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yocum Jr., Carrier Mills, a girl named Susan Ray, born March 4, weighing eight pounds, two ounces.

Hospital Notes

Harrisburg Hospital
Admitted:
Marion Catlin, 363 East College.
Harry Barter, 14 East Walnut.
Roy Staiger, 16 West South.

The robin consumes about 18 feet of earthworms daily, which totals more than his own weight.

Announce New Way To Shrink Painful Piles

Science Finds Healing Substance That Does Both—Relieves Pain—Shrinks Hemorrhoids

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astounding statements like "I have ceased to be a problem!" The secret is a new healing substance (Bio-Dyne®)—discovery of a world-famous research institute. This substance is now available in suppository or ointment form under the name *Preparation 991*—at your druggist. Money back guarantee.

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at

Carrier Mills Social Brethren Church. Rev. Raymond Jones, son of Rev. Tom Jones of Goreville, will be the evangelist. Brother and Sister Earnest Patton will be in charge of the music.

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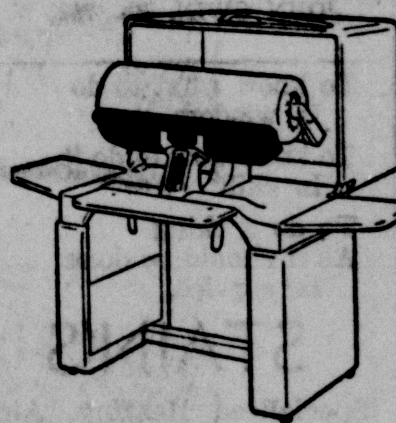
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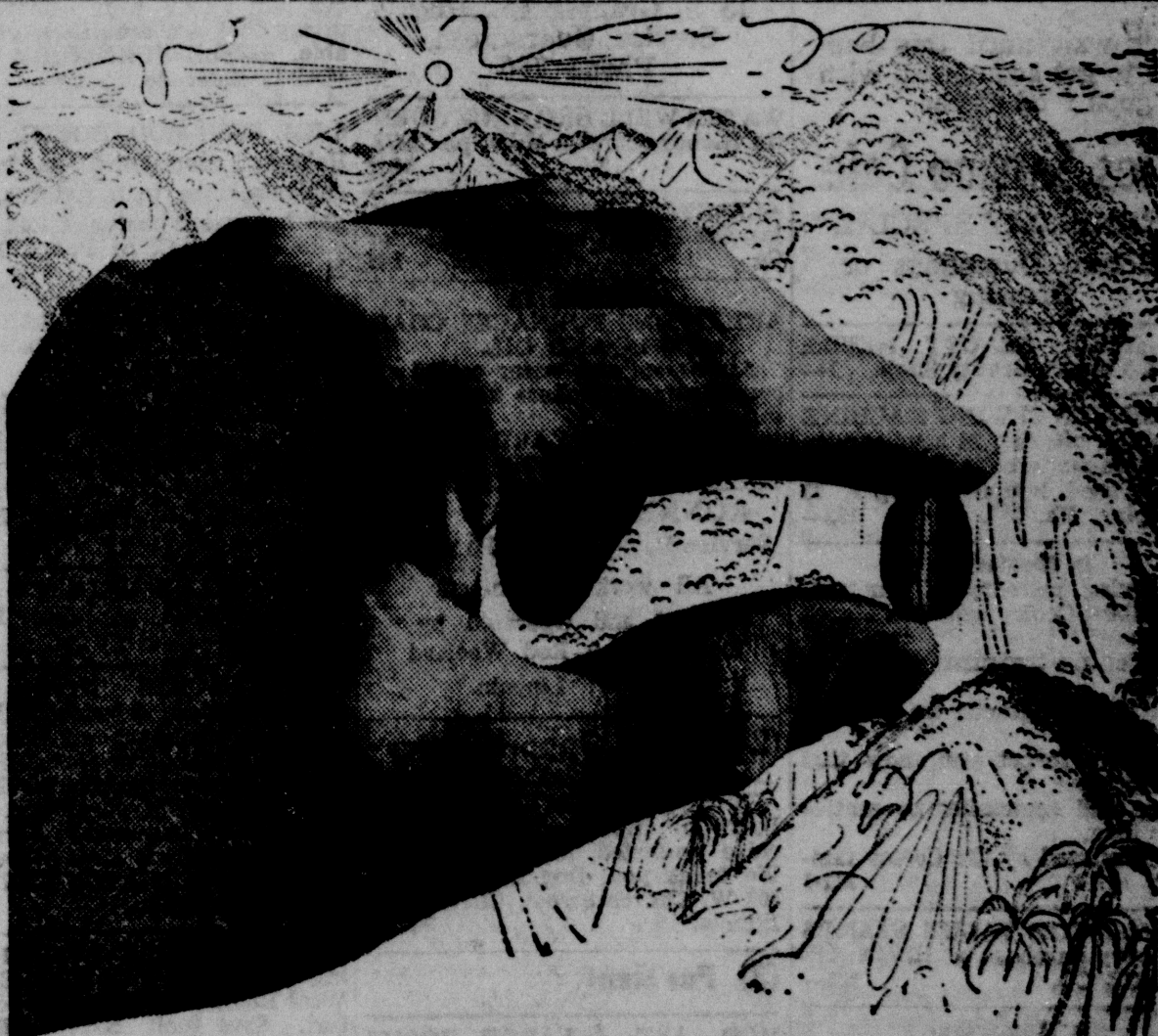
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The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of John Koval, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Saline County, at the Court House in Harrisburg, Illinois, on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1956, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 5th day of March, A. D. 1956.

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In Memoriam
In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Hugh McDonald, who passed away 10 years ago today March 6.
Ten long years have come and gone, and still the vacant chair. Of the one we loved the best on earth, who used to sit there.
We often sit and wonder why he had to go and leave us here alone.
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FURN. APT. MODERN, 22 SOUTH Main St. McKee apts. 192-4

NICE 4 RM. FURN. APT. PICK- NICK FLOWER SHOP. 193-

ALL MODERN CITIES SERVICE STATION on East Poplar St., Harrisburg. Ph. 1372 at Marion, Ill., before 4 p. m. Marion 123-W after 5 p. m. and ask for Strobel. 203-5

DESIRABLE OFFICE ROOMS and suites in Rose bldg. Air conditioning if desired. See Atty. L. M. Hancock or Hudson Mudge. 31-

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(3) For Rent (Cont.)

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RED CLOVER SEED, STATE tested 99% pure, germination 87. Dr. E. M. Travelstead. 210-3

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30 GAL. GAS WATER HEATERS as low at \$86.95. FARMER'S SUPPLY, 610 N. Main. 207-

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Blue Bird Coal, all grades. City Coal Yard and Tin Shop. 285-4

FREE ELECTRIC INSTALLA- tion on all new and used electric ranges serviced by CIPS CO., IRVIN APPLIANCE CO., 615 E. Poplar. 153-

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33% Nitrogen. 45% Nitrogen. 45% Potash. Also 12-12-12. 6-12-12, and other analysis.
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(4) For Sale (Cont.)

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(4-A) For Sale or Trade

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(5) Wanted

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(5-A) Help Wanted

WANTED AT ONCE — MAN WITH car for Rawleigh business in Eldorado. Part Harrisburg. Buy on time. See or write immediately John Buckner, Carrier Mills, Ill., or Rawleigh's Dept. IL-B-9420301, Freeport, Ill. 205-

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LADY WANTED PART OR FULL time. Alert woman with car for unusual, pleasant dignified work. Earn \$25 to \$75 per week. Flexible hours. No canvassing or parties. For interview write Box 44, Crossville, Ill. 208-3

OPPORTUNITY
Age 21-45
Limited to three men who are sincerely interested in their business future (If you are just curious please do not apply).
A company representative will interview and select three men each of whom must meet the following qualifications:
1—A high school education (or equivalent).
2—Able to travel limited territory Monday to Friday inclusive).
3—Own his own automobile.
4—Ready to begin at once.
PAY STARTS WITH TRAINING \$75, PLUS BONUS per week is starting pay with bonus added.
SEE MR. RADCLIFFE WED., MARCH 7 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. and 6 p. m. to 9 p. m. Colonial Hotel, formerly Horning Hotel, Harrisburg, Ill. 205-

PRAIRIE FARMER SALES HELP WANTED
Good income, pleasant work for right man, calling on farmers for Prairie Farmer! If you are in good health and are free to travel and have dependable car, investigate this profitable work by writing O. B. Feather, Wayne City, Ill. 211-10

(6) Employment Wanted

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Wood of the black gum tree actually is light yellow, cross-grained, and not durable when in contact with the soil.

Sugar rationing in the United States ended June 11, 1947.

The team of Gilbert and Sulli- van composed 14 light operas during a period of 25 years.

The bird urbot lays 14,000,000 eggs.

(4) For Sale (Cont.)

State of Illinois, County of Sa- line, ss.
In the Probate Court of said County.
Carl Johnson, as Administrator of the Estate of John W. Skelton, Deceased, Petitioner, vs. Drue Skelton, Mildred Ruiz, Marilyn Joyce Skelton, John Edward Skelton, Defendants.
No. 55-P-5587.

PUBLICATION NOTICE
The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you, Drue Skelton, Mildred Ruiz, Marilyn Joyce Skelton, and John Edward Skelton, that a petition has been filed in the Probate Court of Saline County, Illinois, by Carl Johnson, administrator of the Estate of John W. Skelton, deceased, for an order to sell certain premises belonging to the Estate of said deceased or so much thereof as may be needed to pay the debts of said deceased, which premises are described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Number Sixteen (16) of Block Number Twenty Nine (29) of the High School Sub-Division of the S. W. Quarter, of the S. W. Quarter of Section Twenty-Two (22) Parts of the S. E. Quarter, of the S. W. 1/4 of Southwest Quarter of S. E. Quarter of Section Twenty-One (21) part of N. E. Quarter of Section Twenty-Two (22) and parts of N. E. Quarter of Section Twenty-Two (22) all in Township Eight (8) South Range Seven, East of the Third P. M. Except all the Coal underlying the surface of the above described property, together with the right to mine and remove the same, situated in the County of Saline, State of Illinois.

Lot Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14) block Twenty-Nine (29) being in the High School Sub-Division of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter, Section Twenty-two; parts of the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter and Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter, Section Twenty-one; part of Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, Section Twenty-eight, and part of Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter, Section Twenty-eight, Township Eight (8) South, Range Seven (7) East of the Third Principal Meridian, situated in the County of Saline, in the State of Illinois, hereby releasing and waiving all rights under and by virtue of the Homestead Act of 1906, and the State of Illinois, the coal underlying the surface of the above described real estate and the right to mine and remove the same having been sold to the O'Gara Coal Company and its successors and assigns.

Lot Number Fifteen (15), in Block Number Twenty-nine (29), of the High School Sub-Division of the Southwest one-fourth (1/4) of the Southwest one-fourth (1/4) of Section Number Twenty-two (22); and parts of the Southeast one-fourth (1/4) of the Southeast one-fourth (1/4) of the Southwest one-fourth (1/4) of the Southeast one-fourth (1/4) of Section Number Twenty-one (21); part of the Northeast one-fourth (1/4) of the Northeast one-fourth (1/4) of section Number Twenty-eight (28); and part of the Northwest one-fourth (1/4) of the Northwest one-fourth (1/4) of Section Number Twenty-seven (27), all in Township Number Eight (8), South, Range Number Seven (7) East of the Third Principal Meridian. The coal underlying the above described premises is hereby reserved, together with the right to mine and remove the same, situated in the City of Eldorado, County of Saline, State of Illinois;

that summons was duly issued against you as provided by law, and such suit is still pending.
Now, therefore, unless you, Drue Skelton, Mildred Ruiz, Marilyn Joyce Skelton, and John Edward Skelton, file your answer to the petition in said cause or otherwise make your appearance herein at the said Probate Court of Saline County, held in the Courthouse in the city of Harrisburg, Illinois, on or before the 30th day of March, A. D. 1956, default may be entered against you at any time after that day, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

DON B. GARRISON
County Clerk.
HARRY L. McCABE,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Wasson Building,
Harrisburg, Illinois. 205-

Britain Clamps
New Security
Rules On Cypress

NICOSIA, Cyprus (U.P.) — Britain clamped tough new security measures on this blood-bathed Mediterranean island today and ran head-on into retaliation from the Greek government.

The British, seeking to win back prestige in the nearby Middle East with a show of strength against terrorism here, jammed inflammatory broadcasts from Athens. Radio and ordered its 15,000 troops to stamp out violence with force, if necessary.

The Greek government immediately halted British broadcasts relayed by Athens Radio.

Radio officials in Athens said the order came from Premier Constantine Karasoulos. Previously, the Greek government had held the Athens Radio broadcasts were not official and were the sole responsibility of the radio station.

Britain's show of force was its answer to the islanders, most of them of Greek origin, who rejected a British compromise plan for satisfying their demands for self-determination.

The jamming of radio broadcasts from Greece was unprecedented. Even during World War II the British did not resort to such measures against Nazi Germany's taunting Lord Haw Haw.

(10) Instruction (Cont

Mrs. Claudy Eubanks Dies at Farm Home Near Thompsonville

Mrs. Claudy Eubanks, 79, wife of Arthur Eubanks, died at their farm home, three miles west of Thompsonville on Benton Road, last night.

The body will lie in state at the Courtney funeral home in Galatia. Services will be held Thursday at 11 a. m. at Carter's Temple. Rev. Bernal Williams will officiate and interment will be in Jones cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, Arthur, and one daughter, Eva Summers of Thompsonville; two sons, Deck Eubank of Thompsonville, and Jewel Eubanks of Galatia; one sister, Maude Eubanks of West Frankfort and one grand-daughter, Mrs. George Mason of Cleveland, Ohio, whom they raised; also 9 other grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Israel Accuses Egypt of New Aggressive Acts

JERUSALEM — Israel accused Egypt today of three new acts of aggression and demanded an emergency meeting of the Mixed Armistice Commission to discuss the charges.

An Israeli Foreign Ministry spokesman made the charges as the heads of state of Egypt, Saudi Arabia and Syria met in Cairo in a meeting that could determine the future of peace in the Middle East.

The spokesman listed the three "acts of aggression as follows:

1. The incursion of Israeli territory by Egyptian armed patrols at Hazerim, west of Beersheba.
2. The killing of an Israel soldier at Nir Itzhak near the Gaza strip when his car hit an Egyptian land mine.
3. The Egyptian shelling of three Israeli positions near Kism.

Threat of Warfare

The spokesman said the commission meeting was requested because the incidents were not isolated but served to highlight the growing volume of Egyptian aggression against Israel.

These and a series of clashes Monday between Israelis and Syrians and between Israelis and Egyptians already had heightened the Mid-East crisis that again threatened to explode into open warfare.

King Saud of Saudi Arabia flew to Cairo today for the series of talks called originally for next week as a "council of war."

Pool Arab Strength

King Saud joined Egyptian Premier Gamal Abdel Nasser and Syrian President Shukry El Kuwaty in conferences aimed at wooing Jordan away from the last traces of British influence and to consolidate Arab strength in event of war.

The three states have signed a pact pledging to go to war against Israel if Israel commits any "aggression" against any one.

Court Applies Segregation to Tax-Aid Colleges

RALEIGH, N. C. — The U. S. Supreme Court's extension of segregation bans to tax-supported colleges blocked a major attempt to reverse the earlier ruling outlawing segregation in public schools, state officials said today.

North Carolina officials said the court, by refusing to hear oral arguments in a collegiate integration case decided Monday, thwarted a planned attack on the historic decision of May 17, 1954.

State Atty. Gen. William B. Rodman Jr. said North Carolina had invited other southern states to join in a major effort to persuade the Supreme Court to reverse itself.

The court, without permitting any attempt to reopen the issue of its decision outlawing public school segregation, held Monday that the decision also applies to tax-supported colleges.

In handing down this ruling the Supreme Court affirmed the order of a lower federal tribunal that the University of North Carolina must admit three Negro applicants. The state had appealed the order.

Rodman said he was "keenly disappointed."

"We may try it some other way, in some other case," Rodman said. Louisiana and South Carolina had shown an interest in joining in the case, he said, but other southern states had not yet made any decision. Their officials "wanted more time" to decide, he said.

Other attacks by southern states have been confined to legislative action such as interposition resolutions declaring the decisions null and void, or enactment of laws intended to evade the decisions.

A Virginia constitutional convention today began revising that state's basic law to allow tuition grants from tax money for private education as a means of side-stepping enforced integration.

Officers Speed Girl, Choked on Candy, to Hospital

CHICAGO — Deputy sheriffs from two counties teamed up Monday to rush a little girl who had choked on a piece of candy to a hospital.

The girl, 10-months-old Penny Sue Krejca of South Holland, choked on a piece of candy at her grandmother's home in Lake Villa.

The parents loaded the little girl in their car and started out to get help. Lake County Deputy Robert Sachs met them and took Penny Sue on to Cook County officers got Penny Sue to St. Luke's in time for two specialists to remove the candy. The entire trip covered 50 miles.

Penny Sue was due to go home today.

Heiress Denies Plans to Wed Grace's Future Father-in-Law

PALM BEACH, Fla. — Cincinnati heiress Audrey Emery denied today a report that she and Prince Pierre of Monaco—the future father-in-law of Grace Kelly—were to beat Prince Rainier III and Miss Kelly to the altar.

"Prince Pierre and I are old friends," the socialite said, "but as for marriage... that's another story. We have no such plans."

She told a reporter she was "emphatically denying the rumor."

The Washington Post and Times Herald today said that Prince Pierre plans to marry the heiress soon.

Grand Duke Dimitri Pavlovitch of Russia, a partner in plotting the assassination of Rasputin. They were divorced in 1937. Her second husband was another Russian, Prince "Mito" Djordjadze. They were married in London in 1939 and divorced in 1949. They had one son, Prince Paul.

Miss Emery was named one of the most beautiful women in the United States in 1930.

Tornado Warning Issued for Northern Illinois and Indiana

CHICAGO — The Chicago Weather Bureau today warned of the possibility of tornadoes in northern Illinois and Indiana.

In a special bulletin issued shortly after 12:30 p. m. CST, it said: "There is a risk of tornadoes in northern Illinois south of a line from Burlington, Iowa, to South Bend, Ind., and in northern Indiana north of a line from Lafayette eastward to Kokomo late this afternoon or evening."

Aim of Asiatic Pact is Free Asia, Dulles Says

KARACHI, Pakistan — Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today the aim of the "Asiatic pact" is to preserve free Asia from the fate that has transformed all or part of 10 once-independent states into "virtual colonies ruled by international Communism."

At the opening of the pact meeting here, Dulles said the United States has helped 15 Afro-Asiatic nations to win their freedom since World War II, while the Communists have "swallowed up their neighbors or subjugated them whenever they could."

He said it is the growth of western sponsored defensive alliances that has forced the Communists to abandon open aggression in favor of economic infiltration of their intended victims.

Red opposition to the West's expanding collective security network, Dulles said, proves the Communists are still pursuing aggressive aims.

Dulles said the purpose of the meeting here is not only to strengthen the military defenses of the member nations but to develop "those aspects of SEATO (the pact) which help members to combat subversion and develop wholesome societies, immune from Communist infection."

He did not comment directly on the appeals of Far Eastern members of the pact for increased U. S. military and economic aid to make the alliance an effective bulwark against Communism.

U. S. sources here said America definitely will oppose creation of

Order Spinster Held for Jury For Embezzlement

NORFOLK, Va. — Miss Minnie Mangum, accused of embezzling funds from a firm that has a shortage of almost three million dollars was ordered held for a grand jury today.

The 53-year-old spinster did not testify at a brief police court hearing. Her attorney, Max Broudy, waived preliminary hearing and Judge Savory Amato ordered her held for a grand jury which will meet the first Tuesday in April. Amato also raised her bond to \$50,000.

The secretary-treasurer of a Norfolk Loan Assn. is charged with embezzling \$100,000. But federal examiners say almost \$3,000,000 is missing over a 22 year period. The concern folded after it was discovered all its reserve was missing.

If the amount reaches anywhere near the estimated three-million-dollar figure, it will make the quiet church-going spinster the most fantastically successful embezzler in American history.

Six civil suits have been filed against her relatives and friends to recover money she allegedly gave them with a lavish hand. Examiners found that Miss Minnie had bought some of her relatives expensive homes. Bank accounts were set up for some. The six suits total one million dollars and there may be more to come.

a permanent military command for the pact as well as the establishment of any single organization to administer U. S. aid to the Far East.

Clash of Warm, Cold Air Sets Off Thunderstorms

By United Press

Arctic air clashed with a summery "heat wave" over the nation's midsection today, setting off heavy thunderstorms across a wide area.

The U. S. Weather Bureau lifted night-long tornado warnings in parts of Illinois, Indiana, and Missouri early today. But it warned of severe thunderstorms along a 120-mile wide line stretching from Missouri into Illinois.

More thunderstorms will break out farther east as the freakish, record-breaking warm weather collides with the cold front, it was predicted.

Thunderstorms Monday night

knocked out telephones in a two county area around Detroit, Mich. The storm also caused power breakdowns, turning off lights, television sets, and traffic signals in the city.

More thunderstorms crackled over Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, but no serious damage was reported. Farther west, winds as high as 60 miles per hour churned up billowing dust clouds in west Texas, eastern Colorado, New Mexico, and elsewhere in the southern plains.

Search for Four Girls Who Escaped From Training School

GENEVA, Ill. — Authorities searched today for 4 girls still at large after an escape involving 10 persons at the State Training School for Girls.

The 10 inmates fled Monday night, but 6 were apprehended within an hour. Superintendent Mary Shaughnessy said the other 4 apparently stole a car in Geneva.

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Local Women Attend N. Central WSCS Meeting

The fifteenth annual meeting of the North Central Jurisdiction of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church was held at the First Methodist church in Springfield, Ill., Feb. 29, March 1 and 2.

Attending from Harrisburg were Mrs. L. N. Davenport, secretary of youth work of the North Central Jurisdiction, Mrs. John Schwartz, Mrs. Herman Schwartz, representatives of the local church, and Mrs. C. E. Wing, Christian Social Relation secretary and one of the voting delegate representatives from the Southern Illinois Conference.

The North Central Jurisdiction is composed of nine states with 17 conferences represented. A total of 1623 persons registered for this meeting. Forty-one deaconesses and 30 missionaries told of their fields of service, where they had worked and of the places they were working at present. The years of service by the deaconesses and missionaries combined totaled 1890.

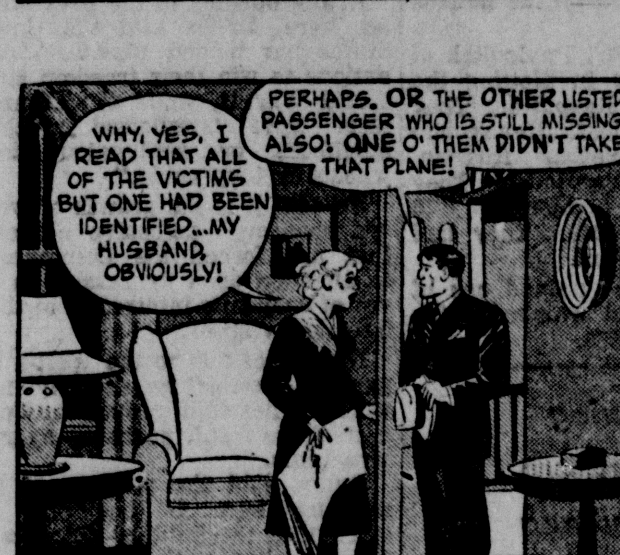
Mrs. L. N. Davenport was elected a nominee for the general board of missions which is quite a high honor. Among those giving addresses were Mrs. Frank G. Brooks, president of the Woman's Division of Christian Service, Bishop Glenn R. Phillips, chairman of the Commission of Deaconess Work of the Methodist church, Dr. Eugene L. Smith, general executive secretary of the division of World Missions of the Board of Missions of the Methodist church, and Mrs. J. Ernest Wilkins, recording secretary of the Woman's Division of Christian Service. Mrs. Wilkins' husband is assistant secretary of labor in Eisenhower's cabinet in charge of international affairs.

The Illinois Wesleyan Collegiate Choir of Bloomington, Ill., presented a musical program and was invited to sing at the general conference.

On Wednesday Gov. and Mrs. William Stratton were host and hostess to a luncheon for the officers and delegates of the North Central Jurisdiction.

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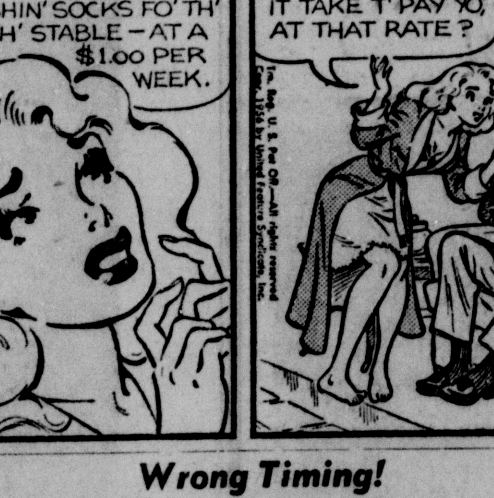
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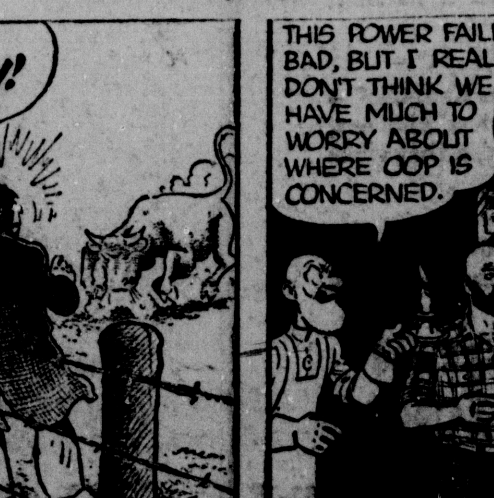
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Dons, N. Carolina State Top Final College Ratings

NEW YORK — The final 1955-56 United Press college basketball ratings (first-place votes and won-lost records in parentheses):

Team	Points
1. San Francisco (32) (24-0)	342
2. N. Car. State (24-3)	243
3. Dayton (1) (23-3)	212
4. Iowa (16-5)	208
5. Alabama (1) (20-3)	176
6. SMU (22-2)	146
7. Louisville (1) (23-3)	144
8. Illinois (18-3)	122
9. UCLA (19-5)	109
10. Vanderbilt (19-4)	43

Fight Results

By United Press
NEW YORK: (St. Nick's)—Gene Poirier, 151, Niagara Falls, N. Y., stopped Danny Joe Perez, 148 1-4, New York (8).

BOSTON: Tony DeMarco, 145 1-4, Boston, stopped Wallace (Bud) Smith, 142, Cincinnati (9—non-title).

PROVIDENCE, R. I.: Steve Marcello, 158, Providence, knocked out Bob Eolton, 161 1-2, Providence (8).

NEW ORLEANS: Al Pellegrini, 154, New Orleans, outpointed Alfonso Flores, 157, Mexico City (10).

QUEBEC CITY, Que.: Jimmy Carter, New York, outpointed Phil Burston, St. Louis (10).

Minnesota has 2,029,000 acres of fishing lakes.

Kentucky to Play In NCAA Tourney

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — The University of Kentucky will represent the Southeastern Conference in the NCAA tournament, it was learned today.

Former Cardinal Catcher Dies

SAN FRANCISCO — Bruce Ogradowski, former St. Louis Cardinals catcher, was found dead here Monday. He was 43.

Ogradowski's body was discovered by a patrolman who entered the veteran catcher's home after a friend notified police he had been unable to reach him and was worried. The coroner's office reported that Ogradowski had been dead for about 72 hours and was a victim of pulmonary tuberculosis.

Seek Water Rate Increases at Hurst and Royalton

SPRINGFIELD (U.P.)—Cities Water Co. today asked the Illinois Commerce Commission to approve substantial rate increases in water rates at Hurst and Royalton.

The ICC held hearings on the firm's petition for a 67 per cent increase in its retail rates at Royalton and an almost-similar increase sought in wholesale rates for the city of Hurst.

Mayor Lester Perrin, Michael Dohanich and Geno Biscontini, all of Royalton, appeared at the hearing to object to the increase for 300 customers in that town.

The company asks approval of an increase in the wholesale rate at Hurst from 13½ cents per thousand gallons to 22 cents per thousand.

Iowa Wins Title with 84-73 Win Over Indiana; Wildcats Upset Illini, 83-82

CHICAGO — A jubilant band of Iowa Hawkeyes celebrated winning their second straight Big Ten basketball championship today, but it was doubtful if they were more elated than cellar-dwelling Northwestern.

While Iowa was beating Indiana, 84-73, to clinch the conference title Monday night, lowly Northwestern ended a dismal season by upsetting Illinois, 83-82, on Glen Rose's field goal with 34 seconds to play.

Wildcat fans went delirious as Northwestern won its only Big Ten game after 13 straight defeats and carried Lose off the floor on their shoulders.

Turn Eyes to NCAA

Gov. Leo Hoegh helped the Hawkeyes celebrate in Iowa City after their long uphill battle to the title. Iowa trailed Illinois throughout the Big Ten campaign until the Buckeyes handed the Illini their first defeat only two weeks ago.

The Hawks now enter the NCAA basketball tournament, and it's well known that Bucky O'Connor is priming his veterans for a shot at San Francisco.

For Illinois, the season's end was disastrous. After climbing to the No. 2 spot nationally on the crest of a 16-game win streak, the Illini were beaten in three of their final four games to finish the same place they did last year, second. The defeat at the hands of Northwestern Monday night only put more salt in the wound.

The Illini led through most of the game until Lose dropped in a bucket with 7 minutes to play to



UP AND AT 'EM—Billy Hunter, one of the many aspirants for the Yankee shortstop job, displays his wares before the keen glance of Manager Casey Stengel at St. Petersburg training base.

Unbeaten Shawneetown Favored to Win Sectional; to Play Carmi

West Frankfort- Metropolis Game Thursday Night

Coach Darwin Valter's Shawneetown Indians take the only unbeaten record into the Illinois high school sectional basketball tournament this week when they come to Harrisburg to meet Carmi in the opening tilt.

The Indians, winners of the McLeansboro regional, face a good Carmi team at 8 p. m. Wednesday. At 8 p. m. Thursday the contest will be West Frankfort vs. Metropolis. And at 8 p. m. Friday the two winners will play for the sectional championship.

Shawneetown, which has lost but one game the past two years and then in the second round of the state finals at Champaign last March, brings a mark of 29 wins and no losses to Harrisburg. Carmi has a fine record, having won 22 with but six losses.

Shawneetown Favored

West Frankfort which finished fourth in the South Seven conference this year, had an 18-9 mark for the season, better than Metropolis' 13-13. Frankfort upset a good Johnston City team to win its own regional and get the bid to the Harrisburg tournament.

The dopesters have made Shawneetown the favorite to win the sectional. The Associated Press conducted a poll of sports writers and sports broadcasters throughout the state to get their choices. For the Harrisburg meet, 14 chose Shawneetown, three chose West Frankfort. There were no votes for Carmi or Metropolis.

The Harrisburg winner will meet the winner at Pinckneyville next week in the first round of the state meet. Playing at Pinckneyville will be the host school vs. Belleville in the Wednesday night contest and Herrin-Mound City Thursday night. Like here, the winners will meet Friday evening.

Pincks Favored

In the sports poll Pinckneyville was made a slight favorite over Herrin, the vote being nine for Duster Thomas' crew, seven for Herrin, one for Belleville and none for Mound City.

Herrin and Pinckneyville have near identical records, the Tiger mark being 27-2, Pinckneyville's 27-3. They have played each other twice and each has won by a 51-50 score.

Belleville goes into the meet

SIU's Johnson Placed on All- Conference Team

CHARLESTON, Ill. — The 1955-56 Interstate Conference all-star basketball team is evenly divided among five schools, it was announced Monday night.

The team, chosen by publicity representatives of the conference on the recommendation of coaches and players, lists:

Fred Marberry, forward, Illinois Normal.
Dean Brauer, forward, Eastern Normal.
Chuck Schraum, center, Western Illinois.
John Olson, guard, Northern Illinois.
Joe Johnson, guard, Southern Illinois.

The only unanimous choice was Marberry, setter of a new league scoring record with 353 points in 12 games this season.

The second team has Glenn Stuart, Central Michigan, and Seymour Bryson, Southern Illinois, at forwards; Ron Nikevich, Western Illinois, at center; and John M. Holland, Eastern Illinois, and Lape Rios, Western Illinois, at guards.

FINAL BIG TEN STANDINGS	W	L	Pct.	PP	OP
Iowa	13	1	.923	1133	979
Illinois	11	3	.786	1271	1098
Ohio State	9	5	.643	1192	1187
Purdue	9	5	.643	1001	999
Mich. State	7	7	.500	1072	1100
Indiana	6	8	.429	1117	1130
Minnesota	6	8	.429	1090	1129
Michigan	4	10	.286	1018	1102
Wisconsin	4	10	.286	1067	1090
Northwestern	1	13	.071	976	1164

Illinois Places BonSalle, Judson On Big Ten Team

Cain of Iowa, Freeman, McCoy Form All-Star Squad

CHICAGO — Iowa's Big Ten basketball champions placed only one man on the 1956 all-conference team picked by the league's 10 coaches for United Press, while runner-up Illinois landed two stars on the top five.

Carl Cain, the league's 16th leading scorer with an average of 15.6 points per game, was the only representative of the champion Hawkeyes.

Illinois placed center George BonSalle, who finished in the conference scoring race with a 22.9 average, and guard Paul Judson, 13th in scoring with a 16.6 average.

Freeman and McCoy

Completing the honor squad were Ohio State's Robin Freeman, the league-leading scorer with 455 points and a 32.5 per game average, and Michigan State's Julius McCoy, runner-up to Freeman in scoring with 382 points.

The balance of both the champion Hawkeyes and runner-up Illinois was displayed in the second team list as Iowa landed two men, center Bill Logan and guard Bill Seaberg, while Illinois gained one spot with guard Bill Ridley. The second five also included forwards Wally Choice of Indiana and Joe Sexson of Purdue.

Each team in the league placed at least one player on the top three teams as the third team included Frank Howard, Ohio State, and Jedd Dommeyer of Minnesota at forwards, Ron Kramer of Michigan at center, and Dick Miller of Wisconsin and Dick Mast of Northwestern at guards.

Judson Only Repeater

There was only one repeater on the first team, Judson, who also made the all-star five in 1955. However, Freeman made the team for the second time. The Buckeye star also was on the first five in 1954. Last year he missed most of the conference season due to an ankle injury, but he came back this year for the greatest season-long performance of his career.

Judson drew the most support among the coaches with nine placing him on the first team and one on the second. Cain was picked on the first team by nine coaches while the tenth placed him on the third team. Freeman drew eight first place mentions and two on the second team. McCoy won five first team votes and five seconds.

The tightest race was between BonSalle and Logan at center. Each player got five first place votes, but BonSalle had four second team mentions and one third while Logan had three second team mentions and two thirds.

College Scores

By United Press
St. Louis U. 68, Arkansas 66 (ot).
Missouri 88, Nebraska 80.
Minnesota 95, Ohio State 89.
Northwestern 83, Illinois 82.
Alabama 82, Florida 75.
Duquesne 64, St. Bonaventure 56.
Michigan State 76, Michigan 75.
Iowa 84, Indiana 73.
Colorado 67, Oklahoma 66.

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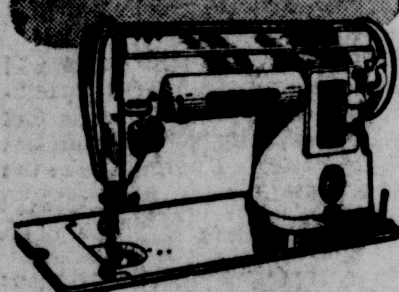


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During the business session plans were made for the club to make a trip to Evansville, Ind., March 16. Cancer bandages were made. Mrs. Alma Gene VanHoy received a birthday gift from her Gaiety Pal.

During the recreation period game prizes were awarded to Opal Santy, Elsie King, Aline Hart, Pauline Beasley, Pearl Field, Lucille Russell, and the grand prize was awarded to Pearl Field.

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Just a Corpse at Twilight

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I was half finished with breakfast when Al Purdy, of the Welfare Commission, walked in. He told me that Van Horn wanted to perform the autopsy on Osborn today, instead of tomorrow, when he had another P. M. scheduled.

"All right. Did O'Connor say anything about getting a paper I sent him?"

"Nope."

"He'll probably get it in the morning, then. Listen, Al. . . I told him quickly about what had happened since my first visit to the village of Beech Tree on Friday afternoon. When I had finished, I turned my head so that he could see the small bandage on the back of my neck. 'That's where he nipped me.'"

"Yipes," Al breathed. "That's getting pretty personal."

"Yes," I agreed.

"What're you going to do?"

"I don't know yet. The sheriff in Beech Tree is making passes at it, but I'm afraid his heart isn't in it. I'm going up there this morning."

"Want me to go along?"

I shook my head. "Thanks, Al, but there's nothing you can do. Maybe nothing that anyone can do. But I've got to take a stab at it."

"Take care of yourself, Jim."

He put on his hat and cocked it over one eye. "See you tonight?"

"Yes, but I don't know when. If the autopsy is late, I may not get loose until nine or ten, maybe later. And then I'll have to write a report for O'Connor."

"If you need me, pass the word. I'm starting at Allegheny Pool, on the south side. Three claims to check — probably take me until noon. You can trace me from there."

It wasn't until I'd reached the Winchester Inn and was about to turn into the drive that I decided to talk to Sheriff Abner Cornwallis again. Something had been working in the back of my mind.

A man in overalls was putting a new lock on the office door. The sheriff was behind his desk fiddling with a screwdriver at one of the drawers. When he saw me he laid the screwdriver aside, lowered his thick black brows and peered at me closely, taking in my blue suit and my cordovan shoes, which were shined for a change. A white stubble of beard showed on his leathery cheeks and his mean little eyes were bloodshot. "My, my," he said sneeringly, "ain't we all prettied up."

"We're going to a funeral, aren't we?"

"Oh, yeah. I almost forgot." He sighed and pulled a hand down over his face. It made a faint rasping sound against the white bristles. "I'll have to shave and put on a clean shirt, I guess." He picked up the screwdriver and prodded viciously at the lock on the desk drawer. "Gotta have a new lock here, too."

"Did you get any prints?"

"Prints?" His expression was outraged. "How can I get any prints without the equipment? The county don't even appropriate enough to pay me a living wage or give my prisoners a square meal. Anyhow, what good would fingerprints be?"

"They're routine in most departments," I murmured.

"Blah."

The fat man by the door said, "She's all set, Abner. I've gotta do some work for Maude Dorn now, but I'll fix that desk lock tomorrow."

"All right, Lew."

The fat man picked up his tool box and left.

"They won't even buy me a secondhand safe," the sheriff said morosely. "I got to keep important evidence in my desk, and see what happened."

"What'll you do now?"

He banged the desk with a fist. "I'll tell you what I'm going to do. I'm going to question everybody connected with this mess—grill 'em and search 'em."

I said curiously, "And who would they be?"

He held up a thin mottled hand and began to count on the fingers. "Miss Lucy Dorn, Mr. Wilbur Tweed, Doc Jarrett. . . He paused, shifting his sly gaze from his

fingers to me. "And Mr. James Bennett."

I was startled. "Me?"

"You're darn right. For a stranger in town you're awful interested in Alice." He chewed the cigar, watching me narrowly. "I think you're holding out on me."

"Sheriff, you're crazy."

"No offense," he said smugly, showing his teeth in a kind of rodent snarl. "I been doing some figuring. You claim you found Alice dead, and all we got is your say-so. Doc Jarrett pointed it out to me—there was nobody there but you and Alice. Right now I'm just trying to do my duty, and it's a—"

"Matter of principle," I finished for him. "You forgot at least one person, Sheriff, in your list of suspects."

"Who?" he snapped.

"You," I said gently. "You had a yen for Alice Osborn, too. You didn't want her to marry Wilbur Tweed or Dr. Jarrett or anybody. And all of you were there the night Frank Osborn died, you and Lucy and Alice, and Nellie Tweed and Wilbur."

He rose from his chair, glaring at me, chewing furiously on the cigar stub. "What has that got to do with it?"

"Maybe nothing, maybe a lot."

I paused, watching him, and I added, "I intend to find out, one way or the other. And don't try to stop me."

"I'll stop you from breaking the law!" he cried. "If you're still figuring on doing that autopsy tomorrow, forget it. I won't let you do it."

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Vachel Davis Plans Tour of Holy Land

Vachel Davis, well-known artist of Eldorado, has announced that he is making reservations for a tour of the Holy Land and Middle East, early this summer. All important Bible places will be visited with two days spent in Rome.

The artist plans on making a number of sketches of important Bible land scenes, camera pictures, and on making extensive notes.

En route home, he plans a stopover in London, England, where he will be the guest of President Jones of the National Union of Mineworkers of Great Britain, and of Sir William Lawther, member of the British House of Commons. He will fly TWA Tourist Skyliner from New York City.

Mr. Davis expects to be gone about six weeks.

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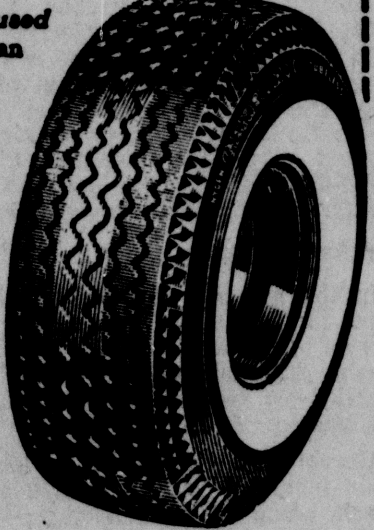
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